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### Universal Studios

Saturday, January 4, 6am - 11pm  
Adults - \$47/Children (3-9) \$36.50  
FMV - Adults \$52.95/Children /\$43.41

### Romantic Piano - Florida Philharmonic\*

Sunday, January 5, 8 pm  
Lincoln Theatre, Miami Beach

### Ringling Brothers Barnum & Bailey Circus

Saturday, January 5 1pm at Office Depot Center (Broward)  
Friday, January 10, 7:30 pm and  
Saturday, January 11, 11:30 am  
American Airlines Arena  
\$17 Upper Level/\$12 Lower Level  
FMV - \$21/\$16

### Romeo and Bernadette

## WHAT'S UP?: in USSOUTHCOM & South Florida

Saturday, January 11, 2 pm and  
Sunday, January 12, 7 pm  
Coconut Grove Playhouse  
Tickets - \$15, FMV - \$40-\$45

### Mahler's 4th - Florida Philharmonic\*

Gusman Theatre  
Saturday, January 25, 8 pm

### Dirty Blonde

Sunday, January 26 2pm/7pm  
GableStage at the Biltmore  
\$11, FMV - \$35

### Busch Gardens

Saturday, February 1  
Info TBA

### Royal Caribbean Classic

Saturday, February 8 - Military Appreciation Day  
All military personnel admitted free with ID

### Silverstein plays Beethoven - Florida Philharmonic\*

Saturday, February 15, 8 pm  
Gusman Theatre

### Boulevard of Broken Dreams

Sunday, February 16, 2pm  
Coconut Grove Playhouse  
\$16, FMV - \$40-\$45

### Fishing Tournament

Saturday, February 22, 7 am

Rod & Reel Club  
\$25, USSOUTHCOM employees only

\* All Florida Philharmonic performances are 50% off regular ticket prices  
FMV = Fair Market Value  
Coming in March and April (dates TBA, watch your e-mails for more information)  
EPCOT  
Animal Kingdom  
MGM Studios  
Airboat Trip

*All tickets are non-refundable. Do your research before purchasing tickets at the ITR. We do our best to offer the lowest prices possible. Our tickets are purchased at the regular group rate or below, but some venues have seasonal sales with lower prices. When you purchase tickets from the ITR you are not paying tax which you might pay on-line. Tickets may or may not reflect a handling fee, which the ITR sometimes pays. Occasionally, free tickets may become available to an event for which we have already purchased and sold tickets. We cannot foresee these donations. Thank you for your understanding.*



## Health & Fitness Classes

MWR offers free Health and Fitness Classes on a monthly basis. Register at the Fitness Center. Stay in shape:

Maximizing Upper Body

Weight Training

Wednesday, January 29, 12-1 pm

HQ, Conference Room 2412, Bring Your Own Lunch.

Muscle and Joint Problems

Thursday, February 27, 12-1 pm

HQ, Conference Room 2412, Bring Your Own Lunch.

## Social Clubs

Servicemembers, federal civilians, contractors and family members, did you enjoy your tour of duty in Germany? Do you miss making the connection? Consider joining the Miami German American Social Club. For more information, contact Dana Cekauskas, 305-437-2734 or SSG Randall Voelker, 305-437-2140. For a listing of multi-cultural organizations and festivals throughout South Florida, go to <http://southflorida.sun-sentinel.com/news/multicultural/index.htm>.

## Royal Caribbean Classic

Royal Caribbean Classic - <http://www.royalcaribbeanclassic.com/>  
"Military Appreciation Day, Saturday, February 8 - all military personnel will be admitted free with military ID.  
"Classic Package" \$26 per package (Fair Market Value - \$50) includes:  
Two tickets to the Royal Caribbean Classic tournament for all three days (Feb 7-9). Two coupons to the tournament course at Key Biscayne\*, Miami International Links (Melreese)\*, and the Country Club of Miami\*. Greens fee coupons are valid at Melreese and CC of Miami, Apr 15 - Oct 31 after 11am, and valid at the tournament course at Key Biscayne, June 1 - Oct 31 after 12 noon. Carts are required but not included (\$17-\$20 per person at all three courses). FMV: \$135 - \$150.

## COMMANDER'S CLASSIC

It was a perfect day on the golf course. One hundred and twenty golfers participated in the Commander's Classic, held on 8 November at the Miami Shores Country Club. Many thanks to our generous sponsors: BACARDI USA, INC., MAN-TECH INT., PBS&J, and WILLIAMSON CADILLAC. (The Department of Defense does not endorse these sponsors.) Don't miss next year's tournament.



General Huck  
presents the  
Commander's  
Cup to General  
Jackman, who will  
keep the Cup for  
one year.



## 2002 SPOUSE'S EXPO



Attendance at the 2002 Spouse's Expo tripled over last year's. Many thanks to our sponsors ABOUT FACE MAKEUP, THE BILTMORE HOTEL, DAVE & BUSTER'S, THE HILTON MIAMI AIRPORT & TOWERS, JW MARRIOTT

HOTEL, and THE MANDARIN ORIENTAL (The Department of Defense does not endorse the sponsors).



USSOUTHCOM spouse visits Family Support Center table

## Join us in Welcoming Our New Employee

Please welcome our new Recreation Assistant, Jill Marlene Hauser. Jill was born and raised in the Republic of Panama. She holds a BS in Health Education K/12 from the University of West Florida and a Masters in Public Health from Florida International University. Before moving to Miami, Jill worked at the Arnold Palmer Hospital for Children and Women in Orlando, Florida for two years.

## School Liaison

Need a resource to help you resolve school-related concerns? Margie Supervielle is the USSOUTHCOM School Liaison for Miami-Dade and Broward Counties. She will assist families on any school issues. Contact Margie at 305.386.5020 or [msupervi@aol.com](mailto:msupervi@aol.com).



# Spouses Corner

## USSOUTHCOM Community Information Meeting (SCCIM)

SCCIM is held the first week of each month. This will enable the Zip Code Coffee Group Coordinators to disseminate the information from the SCCIM to the zip code coffee groups. As a reminder, all spouses are encouraged to submit concerns/issues to your area zip code coordinator. Our purpose is to share ideas and make living in South Florida an enriching experience. Upcoming meetings: at 1000 hrs. Codina Building, Main Conference Room.

## Zip Code Coffee Groups POC

*Kendall, Hammocks, Central Dade, and South Dade:*

• Laura Gill (305) 225-6954

*Weston, Davie, Plantation, Fort Lauderdale,*

*Coral Springs and North:*

• Cheryl Dunnells (954) 659-9948

*Pembroke Pines, Cooper City, Hollywood,*

*and Miramar:*

• Deborah Kellner (954) 436-0563

• Kathy Whitehead (954) 438-8254

*Doral, North Dade:*

• Heather Tuttle (305) 597-0517

• Patsy Barrier (786) 845-3073

## Need To Know Numbers

## Directorate of Community Activities (DCA)

Director, Sheryl Byrd (305) 437-2720

Administration, Vilma Lesesne (305) 437-2715

Website: <http://www.southcom.mil/usag-miami/index.htm>

E-mail: [dcacustomerservice@hq.southcom.mil](mailto:dcacustomerservice@hq.southcom.mil)

Toll Free Hot Line: 1 888-547-4025

## Substance Abuse Program (SAP)/Employee

### Assistance, SAP

Officer, Guy Drab (305) 437-3078

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## Recreation Division

Fitness Center (305) 437-1152

Better Opportunity for Single Service Members (BOSS),

President ISSN Jennifer Boise (305) 437-2171

Recreation Assistant,

Jill Hauser (305) 437-1595

Recreation Assistant,

Maria Rosado Trenche (305) 437-1595

Marketing and Sponsorship,

Helen Colby (305) 437-2639

## Family Support Division (FSD)

FSD Officer, Victoria DuBois (305) 437-2644

Secretary, Peggy Corpman (305) 437-2665

Consumer Affairs/Emergency Financial

Assistance, Richard Zimmelman (305) 437-2645

Employment Readiness/

Transition Assistance Program/

Notary Public, Marva Creary (305) 437-2671

Exceptional Famil Member /Family

Advocacy Program Manager,

Dana Cekauskas, LCSW (305) 437-2734

Information & Referral/Child Care

Subsidy, Leyda Cruz (305) 437-2633

Relocation Readiness Program,

Jennifer Harms (305) 437-2723

Volunteer Coordinator, Mary Ortiz (305) 437-2667

## USSOUTHCOM Clinic

Office hours: 0730-1630

For appointments call (305) 437-3559

Services TRICARE enrolled members.

TRICARE Service Center 8385 Pines Blvd.

Pembroke Pines, FL 33024 (954) 443-6793 or

1-800-700-8593

Family Counseling Center (305) 437-3086

Housing Referral (305) 437-2656

Education Services (305) 437-1141

Carlson Wagonlit (305) 437-1746

Veterinary Services (305) 437-1304

(POC - Ms. Estes)

Opa-Locka USCG Vet Svcs. (305) 953-2195

(POC - SK2 Young)

U.S. Southern Command  
Family Support Center  
Attn: USAG/FSC  
3511 NW 91st Avenue  
Miami, FL 33172





## Join Teen 'Southern Stars'

Teens in the command are invited to join the new teen council "Southern Stars." "Southern Stars" is collecting donations for orphanages downrange, and surveying command youth to create a database of names and addresses.

Teens in the command who wish to join the Southern Stars should contact the Family Support Center at (305) 437-2644. Meetings are usually held the third Saturday of each month, 1 pm at the Codina Building and focus on planning activities for teens.



Left to right - USSOUTHCOM Youth Leadership Forum representatives Eryn Walker, Mallorie Clark, Joel Gomez, Leyda Cruz (chaperone), Odette Ortiz (USARSO), Jennifer Yapp and Jacqueline Gomez receive their character award certificates at the Army Youth Leadership Forum in July, 2002.

## Know of Any Military Discounts?

The Miami-Dade Defense Alliance (MDDA) is compiling a directory of South Florida businesses offering military discounts. The directory will be published in the spring and will be provided to USSOUTHCOM and other installations at no charge. If you are aware of any businesses offering military discounts, please forward the information via e-mail to Helen Colby at colbyh@hq.southcom.mil or via fax to 305 437-2672. Please include as much information as possible, including name, address, phone, e-mail, POC.

## Stress Solutions and Creative Venting Classes

The Family Advocacy Program (FAP) is offering classes in Stress Solutions and Creative Venting. Family Advocacy is a Department of Defense program that assists with family well being. It is specifically designed for the prevention of child and spouse abuse and also has components for education, intervention and treatment.

Classes are designed to provide information and education to prevent abuse and/or neglect in our military families, teach parenting and family communication skills and help you, your family and eligible offenders in crisis.

For more information or to attend a class, please call C. Dana Cekauskas, LCSW, Family Advocacy Program Manager, 305 437-2734 or 305 437-2665.

## EMERGENCY #'S FOR YOUR FAMILY

Police/Fire/Rescue - 911

Family Emergency

(305) 437-2665/2734/3072

Financial Emergency

(305) 437-2645

Deployment Family Support

(305) 437-2665

Domestic Violence/Child Abuse

(305) 437-3072/2734

NOTE: Each number above may be reached toll-free at 888-547-4025. The American Red Cross is YOUR weekend and after hours emergency contact for family and financial emergencies. In Miami-Dade 305 644-1200. In Broward 954 763-9900.

Routine and crisis referrals to civilian resources are available 24-hours per day at 305 358-HELP in Miami-Dade and 954 467-6333 in Broward.

CUT ALONG DOTTED LINE AND  
TAPE TO YOUR PHONE  
OR REFRIGERATOR

## TRANSITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

If you are within **six months** of separation or within **one year** of military retirement, call the Family Support Center (305) 437-2665/2632 to register for the next Transition Assistance Program (TAP) Workshop scheduled for **27-29 January 2003**. TAP Workshops are held quarterly. A Pre-Separation Briefing with the completion of DD Form 2648 is required prior to the three day TAP workshop. The Pre-Separation Briefings are held at least twice per month. Spouses are invited. Location: La Quinta Hotel, 8730 NW 27th Street, Miami, FL 33172, daily 8am to 4:30 pm. Phone: (305) 436-0830.

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CALENDARS!

March 14  
2003

for the next annual Marketing Yourself for a 2nd Career Seminar with Guest Speaker COL Buzz Buse (RET).